

Tuesday, June 10

DAILY TIMES FISH BUREAU.

To-day's Arrivals and Receipts.

Sch. Dictator, via Boston, 5000 lbs. cod, 2000 lbs. halibut.
Sch. Emma and Helen, Bacalieu Bank, 25,000 lbs. halibut.
Sch. Robert and Arthur, via Boston, 60,000 lbs. hake, 20,000 lbs. cusk.
Sch. Samuel R. Crane, Seal Is and ground, 70,000 lbs. hake.
Sch. Everett Pierce, Rips, 40,000 lbs. cod.
Sch. J. E. Garland, No Man's Land, 12 bbls. salt mackerel.
Sch. Harriett W. Babson, Cape Shore, 127 bbls. salt mackerel.

To-day's Market.

Board of Trade prices: large headline Georges cod, \$3.50 per cwt., medium do., \$2.50; large trawl Georges, \$3.25; medium do., \$2.25; headline cod from deck, caught east of Cape Sable \$3.25; medium do., \$2.25; large trawl bank cod, \$2.37 1-2; medium do., \$1.78; large dory headline cod, \$2.62 1-2; medium do., \$2.12 1-2.

Board of Trade splitting prices of fresh fish.—All cod caught on Le Have Bank and to the westward: large, \$1.65, medium \$1.25. All cod caught to the eastward of Le Have Bank, large, \$1.20; medium, \$1; cusk, \$1.25; haddock, 75 cts.; hake, 80 cts.; pollock, 50 cts.

Outside sales of bank cod, \$2.30 per cwt. for large and \$1.80 for medium.

Outside sales of splitting fish, large cod, \$1.20; market, \$1.00; cusk, \$1.15; haddock, 65 cts.; hake, 80 cts.

Rips cod, \$3.65 per cwt. for large, \$2.05 for mediums, \$1.05 for snappers.

Round pollock, 45 cts. per cwt.

Bank halibut, 12 cts. per lb. for white and 9 cts. for gray.

Block Island salt mackerel, \$10.75 per bbl.

Cape Shore salt mackerel, \$10 per bbl. Fresh mackerel, 8 cents apiece.

Boston

Sch. Agnes Gleason, 3500 haddock, 3700 cod.

Sch. Frank Munroe, 1000 haddock, 11,000 cod.

Sch. Helen Pooler, 200 haddock, 300 cod.

Sch. Laura Enos, 300 haddock, 1400 cod.

Sch. Eldera Smith, 600 haddock, 400 cod.

Sch. Oceanus, 7000 haddock, 2300 cod, 4000 hake.

Sch. Mary P. Mosquita, 20,000 haddock, 5000 cod.

Sch. Alice Guthrie, 15,000 haddock, 4000 cod.

Sch. William A. Morse, 15,000 haddock, 10,000 cod.

Sch. Lavonia, 3000 haddock, 5000 cod, 2000 pollock.

Sch. Queen of the Sea, 300 haddock, 400 cod.

Haddock, \$2.50 to \$3; large cod, \$4.50, \$5, and \$5.60; market cod, \$3 to \$3.50; hake, \$1.25; pollock, \$1.50.

Mackerel News.

Sch. Frank Butler was at Vineyard Haven Tuesday with 65 bbls. salt mackerel on board.

Sloop Betsey Ross was at New Bedford Tuesday with 20 bbls. mackerel.

Sold at \$9.50 Per Barrel.

The fare of sch. Ralph L. Hall sold this morning to Frank Stanwood at \$9.50 per barrel, having been sold before the other fish were taken up.

Good Stocks and Shares.

Sch. Margaret, Capt. Samuel Colson, stocked \$2785 on her recent halibut trip, the crew sharing \$70.

Sch. Priscilla Smith, Capt. William J. Corkum, stocked \$2500 on her recent Cape Shore seining trip, the crew sharing \$75.

Sch. Smuggler, Capt. Jerry Cook, stocked \$2500 on her Cape Shore trip, the crew sharing \$53.

Sch. Grayling, Capt. Reuben Cameron, stocked \$6535 86 as the result of her southern and Cape Shore seining trips, the crew sharing \$142.27.

Sch. Kentucky, Capt. Elroy Prior, stocked \$2141 on her Cape Shore trip, the crew sharing \$44.27.

The crew of sch. Ralph L. Hall shared \$71 as the result of her recent Cape Shore seining trip.

Sch. Talisman, Capt. Benj. McGray, stocked \$5015 on her southern and Cape Shore seining trips, the crew sharing \$105 84.

Sch. Navahoe, Capt. Martin Weloh, stocked \$3283.73 on her Cape Shore trip, the crew sharing \$73.

Sch. Argo, Capt. Stillman Malone, stocked \$3442 on her recent salt bank trip, the crew sharing \$61.15.

Dogfish Bother Netters.

A Duxbury fisherman says that the mackerel fishermen from the South Shore complain that large numbers of dogfish are spoiling the run of mackerel. For several weeks excellent hauls were secured by the "draggers," but within the last few days the catches have fallen off considerably.

The dogfish are all over this section of the Massachusetts bay, according to fishermen, and are more numerous than they have ever been known to be before. They have not only kept the mackerel on the alert, making it difficult for them to be caught, but have spoiled many that have been caught in the nets. Several boats that came in reported that when the nets were hauled they found large pieces bitten out of the mackerel, making them utterly unfit for market.

The Short Lobster Law.

Members of the fish and game commission are not well pleased at the way in which their court cases for violations of the short lobster law have been going of late, and the chances are good that they will incorporate in their next annual report a recommendation that the law passed two years ago be repealed.

This law provided that the courts should have discretion as to the amount of the fine imposed for each short lobster, provided that the same should not exceed \$5 for each count. Before being amended two years ago the law provided that the fine should be no more nor less than \$5 for each count, and under this statute the commission was able to make quite a record in the total amount of fines collected.

It is a rare case under the present law when a court imposes the full amount possible, and as a result the fishermen do not stand in so much fear of the fish and game deputies. Judges who happen not to believe in the short lobster law have opportunity to practically nullify it at present and the commissioners believe this should be changed.—Practical Politics.

Bank Cod Sale.

The fare of sch. Harry A. Nickerson sold to Fred. L. Davis at \$2.25 per hundred weight for large and \$1.85 for medium.

Big Stock and Share.

Sch. Dictator, Capt. Lemuel Spinney, stocked \$4583 on her recent halibut trip, the crew sharing \$105.38.

GOOD NEWS AT LAST.

Fleet Strike Mackerel Off South Shoal Lightship.

GOOD HAULS WERE MADE.

Several Fine Fares Run Fresh to Newport.

The seining fleet have struck fish once more. Last Friday about 35 sail got small hauls off South Shoal lightship, but the weather has been so bad that since then none were taken up to yesterday when the fish were struck again 35 miles west southwest of the lightship. As a result, the following fine fares are at Newport today:

Sch. Miranda, 225 barrels fresh mackerel.

Sch. Olympia, 300 barrels.

Sch. Bertha and Pearl, 250 barrels.

Sch. M. Madeleine, 150 barrels.

Sch. Angilena, 150 barrels.

Sch. Monarch, 200 barrels.

Sch. Hattie M. Graham, 150 barrels.

The following netters were at Newport yesterday afternoon:

Sch. Charley Boy, 400 fresh mackerel.

Sch. Florida, 1000 fresh mackerel.

Sloop Minerva, 800 fresh mackerel.

Sch. Freedom, 900 fresh mackerel.

Sch. Mary Emerson, 850 fresh mackerel.

A telephone message from Newport to a seining skipper states that the vessels got their mackerel from 25 miles west south west to 20 miles west of South Shoal lightship.

Sch. Emma, Capt. Seavey, arrived at Portland Sunday from the southern cruise. The captain reports plenty of mackerel, but the weather was so bad that no fishing could be done. For 20 days the weather was too rough to do any fishing.

Sch. Indiana is fitting for seining under command of Capt. Elmer Joyce.